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In re: Schwarz

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MUSCLE AND METHODS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT  
EMAP II*

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir/Madam:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action dated November 16, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this document.